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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10148

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

Registration Dist. No.

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

4. COLOR OR RACE

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)5e. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than  
1 day, ..... hrs.  
or ..... min.

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)

FATHER

13. NAME

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)17. INFORMANT  
(Address)

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date

19. UNDERTAKER  
(Address)

20. FILED

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

(Month)

(Day)

193

(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY. That I attended deceased from

10-20-1934 to 10-21-1934

I last saw him alive on 10-21-1934; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 5:15 p.m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of Injury

19

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

M. D.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

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Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10149

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County CharlesVillage or City Comptonville

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME, instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No. Comptonville

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

M

4. COLOR OR RACE

W5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)Single5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

8-26-1885

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

IF LESS than  
1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.49126

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.Spinner9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Ind.

FATHER

13. NAME

John H. Boorman14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Ind.

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME

Mary P. Boorman16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Ind.17. INFORMANT  
(Address)Edmund P. Boorman  
Comptonville

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place Holy Spirit Cemetery Date 10-24-193419. UNDERTAKER  
(Address)Chas. M. Roney  
Ind.

20. FILED

10-22-1934J. R. Higgins

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

10-22- 1934  
(Month) (Day) (Year)22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from  
10-20- 1934, to 10-22- 1934I last saw him alive on 10-26- 1934; death is saidto have occurred on the date stated above, at 5:30 m.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:Mitral incompetency - atherosclerosis

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

In feeble health for 15 or 20 years

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

M. D.

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The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset	The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
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Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921	Run over by street car	1 week ago
Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927	Peritonitis	3 days ago
Other contributory causes of importance:		Other contributory causes of importance:	
Gallstones	May 1, 1923	Gastroenteritis	1 year

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 108

1 PLACE OF DEATH

County CharlesVillage or City Bryantown (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME William Arthur Buller

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX male 4 COLOR OR RACE col 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) single6 DATE OF BIRTH August 5, 1934  
(Month) (Day) (Year)7 AGE 2 13 If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_ hrs. \_\_\_\_ yrs. 8 mos. 18 ds. or \_\_\_\_ min.?

## 8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work \_\_\_\_\_  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

## 9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country)

10 NAME OF FATHER Arthur Buller11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Md12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Helena Sumner13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Arthur Buller(Address) Bryantown Md15 Filed 10/19/34 1934 Eva Chaffee Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Oct 18, 1934  
(Month) (Day) (Year)17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the decedent from Sept 29, 1934 to Oct 18, 1934, that I last saw him alive on Oct 13, 1934, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 5 A. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows:

Spinal Cord LesionContributory Secondary Heart Disease  
(Duration) \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.(Signed) H. H. Brown M. D.  
Oct 18, 1934 (Address) Aquasco Md

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

Bryantown Oct 19, 1934

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

Elmer Orade Hugawall Md



# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public  
Health Association.)

**Statement of Occupation**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer or Planter, Physician, Compositor, Archited, Locomotive engineer, Civil engineer, Stationary fireman, etc.* But in many cases, especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement; it should be used only when needed. As examples: (a) *Spinner, (b) Cotton mill; (a) Salesman, (b) Grocery; (a) Foreman, (b) Automobile factory.* The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Dealer," etc., without more precise specification as *Day laborer, Farm laborer, Laborer—Coal mine, etc.* Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid, *Housekeepers* who receive a definite salary), may be entered as *Housewife, Housework, or At Home*, and children, not gainfully employed, as *At school, or At home.* Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as *Servant, Cook, Housemaid, etc.* If the occupation has been changed, or given up on account of the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus; *Farmer (retired 6 yrs).* For persons who have no occupation whatever, write *None.*

**Statement of Cause of Death**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia, Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meninges, peritonaeum, etc., Carcinoma, Sarcoma, etc., of . . . . .* (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles; Whooping cough; Chronic valvular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis, etc.* The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), 29 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "E.haustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uraemia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL septicæmia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. FOR VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL or HOMICIDAL, or as probably such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; Struck by railway train—accident; Revolver wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide.* The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

If this certificate is looked over thoroughly and all questions answered in detail, it will prevent further correspondence. All the data is essential and must be obtained before the certificate is permanently filed.

NOV 5 1934

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10151

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Charles

Registration Dist. No.

100

Village or City

near Newtown

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

2 yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Mary Virginia Cole

(a) Residence: No.

Charles County

St.

Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

female

4. COLOR OR RACE

colored

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)

single

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

October 11, 1932

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than

1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

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OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

Infant

9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Data deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Charles County

FATHER

13. NAME

Daniel Cole

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

St Marys Co. Md.

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME

Annie Florence Gross

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Gross Station  
Charles Co. Md.

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Annie Florence Cole  
Bel Alton, Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Sacred Heart

Date

Oct 29, 1934

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

Daniel Cole (Father)  
Bel Alton Md.

20. FILED

Oct. 27, 1934

William V. Posey

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

October

26

1934

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

22.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

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to

19

I last saw h. \_\_\_\_\_ alive on \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above at \_\_\_\_\_ m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:

Date of onset

No physician attended

Probably Pneumonia

neglect

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Note: Late examination by physician showed this child to have had diphtheria at time of death.

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of Injury

19

Where did Injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? No.

If so, specify

(Signed)

R. H. Lee Peuch acting Coroner.

(Address)

La Plata, Maryland.

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<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

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10152

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

No.

Registration Dist. No.

St.

Ward

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

m.

ds.

How long in U. S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

(Usual place of abode)

St.

Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

4. COLOR OR RACE

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

7. AGE

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(Address)

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date

19. UNDERTAKER  
(Address)

20. FILED

10-14-19

04 J. R. Higdon,

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

10 - 12 - 1934  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

22.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

I last saw him alive on 10-12-1934; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 4:30 p.m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis? Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? Date of Injury, 19

Where did injury occur?  
(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of Injury

Nature of Injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

M. D.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10153

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County CharlesVillage or City La Plata MdRegistration Dist. No. 100

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U. S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence No.

(Usual place of abode)

St.

Ward.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

## 3. SEX

Male

## 4. COLOR OR RACE

White5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)Married

## 5a. If married, widowed, or divorced

HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE ofMary H. Higgins

## 6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

Feb. 17 1877

## 7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than

1 day, . . . hrs.  
or . . . min.57728

## OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.Judge T. Carroll Ckt.9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Data deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation

## 12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Charles Co Md

## FATHER

## 13. NAME

Wm John F Higgins

## 14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Chas Co Md

## MOTHER

## 15. MAIDEN NAME

Catherine Mitchell

## 16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Chas Co Md

## 17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Wm J. Higgins  
La Plata Md

## 18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Date

mt Rest Oct 18 1934

## 19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

Heintz and Ryon  
Waldorf Md

## 20. FILED

Date

19

Oct 17 1934 Lillian T. Osney

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

Oct  
(Month)15  
(Day)1934  
(Year)

## 22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

May1934 toOct 161934I last saw h. . . alive on Oct 10 1934; death is saidto have occurred on the data stated above, at 11-34 p. m.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:

Date of onset

Chronic nephritis  
Duration: not stated.

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Bright's funk

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

## 23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of injury

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

## 24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

M. D.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Arteriosclerosis	1915
Chronic interstitial nephritis	1921
Cerebral hemorrhage	July 5, 1927

Other contributory causes of importance:

Stones	May 1, 1923
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Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
Attack of epilepsy	1 week ago
Run over by street car	1 week ago
Peritonitis	3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Gastroenteritis	1 year
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10154

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Charles

Village or City

Waldorf Md

No.

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

St.

Ward

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. If of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Lovell Prosper Hudson

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

Male

4. COLOR OR RACE

White

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)

married

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced

HUSBAND of

(or) WIFE of Harriet Hudson

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

mch 3-1861

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than  
1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

73

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12

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

Retired

9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

East Haven Vermont

(State or country)

FATHER

13. NAME

Prosper Hudson

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

East Haven Vermont

(State or country)

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME

Unknown

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Mrs Lovell P Hudson Wife  
Waldorf Md

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Cedar Hill

Date

Oct 13, 1934

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

Smith & Ryan  
Waldorf Md

20. FILED

Oct 11, 1934

M. P. Mowbray  
Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

Oct

(Month)

10

(Day)

1934

(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from

Oct 7, 1934, to Oct 10, 1934.

I last saw him alive on Oct 10, 1934; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 1:30 A.M.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:Shock + complete  
failure of heart. When seen  
at 10 he was dying + what  
this sudden collapse of heart  
I could not say independent  
death

Other Contributory Causes of importance: No further information given.

I saw him at 7 + found him  
hanging from 102 ft. 10 ft. from the top of the  
tower. He was in a state of  
collapse. He was not breathing. He was not  
conscious. He was not moving. He was not  
alive. He was dead.

What test confirmed diagnosis? Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed)

Thos Lynch  
Waldorf

(Address)

M. D.

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V. S. No. 1

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<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

MARYLAND

## COPY OF CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

STATE DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
Bureau of Vital Statistics

(NOTE—This is not a legal document)

Registration Dist. No. ....

1. PLACE OF DEATH: *Charles*  
County.....  
City or town..... *Rural nr. Nanjemoy*  
(If outside city or town limits, write RURAL and give nearest town)  
How long in above place of death? .....  
Hospital, institution, or street address where death occurred:  
.....  
How long in hospital or institution?.....

2. USUAL RESIDENCE (HOME) OF DECEASED:  
(For newborn infants give residence of mother)  
State..... County.....  
City or town.....  
(If outside city or town limits, write RURAL and give nearest town)  
Street No.....  
(If rural, give LOCATION)  
2.(a) If veteran, name war.....

3. (a) FULL NAME *Albert Jackson*

3. (b) Social Security Number

4. Sex *m* 5. Color or race *B* 6. (a) Single, married, widowed, or divorced *S*

6. (b) Name of husband or wife..... 6. (c) If alive, give age..... years

7. Birth date of deceased (mo., day, yr.)

8. AGE: Years *30* Months Days If less than one day  
..... hrs. .... min.

9. Birthplace.....  
(Town, county, and state)

10. Usual occupation.....

11. Industry or business.....

12. Name.....

13. Birthplace.....

14. Maiden name.....

15. Birthplace.....

16. Informant.....

Address.....

17. .... Date thereof.....  
(Burial, cremation, or removal. Which?) (month) (day) (year)

Cemetery or crematory.....

Location.....

18. Funeral director.....

Address.....

19. .... 19.....  
(Date rec'd by registrar)

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATION

20. DATE OF DEATH *Fall of 19 34*, at

21. I CERTIFY that death occurred on the date above stated; that I attended deceased from  
..... 19..... to..... 19.....  
and that I last saw him..... alive on..... 19.....

Immediate cause of death.....

Due to.....

Due to.....

Other conditions.....

(Include pregnancy within 3 months of death)

Major findings of operations.....

Date of op.....

Autopsy results.....

PHYSICIAN: Please underline the cause to which death should be charged statistically.

22. VIOLENCE: If death was due to external causes, fill in the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide..... Date of.....

Where did injury occur?.....  
(City or town) (County) (State)

Injured at home, farm, industry, public place (where?).....

Means of injury..... Injured at work?

23. SIGNATURE.....

M. D. or other

Address..... Date signed.....

24. CERTIFIED AS CORRECT TO COUNTY REGISTRAR BY.....

Local Registrar

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# STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10155

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Charles

Village or City La Plata

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 32 yrs.

How long in U. S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

Thuerman Matthews

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

male

4. COLOR OR RACE

col

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)

single

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced

HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

Apr 23 1902

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than 1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs. or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

32

6

6

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.

none

10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)

11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Charles Co Md

FATHER

13. NAME

George Matthews

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Chas Co Md

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME

Cecelia Gray

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Chas Co Md

17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Cecelia Gray La Plata Md

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

New Town

Date

Oct 31 1934

19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

William Roby Bel Air Md

20. FILED

Oct 30 1934 William V. Posey

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH

Oct 29

1934

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

22.

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_.

I last saw him \_\_\_\_\_ alive on \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_ m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of Importance were as follows:

Date of onset

no physician at time of death

Attending physician says cause probably

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

ulcer or perforated intestine

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of Injury

19\_\_\_\_

Where did Injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of Injury

Nature of Injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? no

If so, specify

(Signed)

William V. Posey

Registrar M. D.

(Address)

La Plata Md

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<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>
Other contributory causes of importance:	
<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

1010150

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Charles.

Village or City

Pisgah.

No.

Registration Dist. No.

101

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Joseph Henry Penn.

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

## 3. SEX

Male

## 4. COLOR OR RACE

White

## 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)

widowed

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

Mary Frances Penn (Roue)

## 6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, end year)

Sep. 19, 1850.

## 7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than

84

—

25

1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

## OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

Clergyman.

9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)

St. Marys Co. Md.

## FATHER

## 13. NAME

Charles P. Penn.

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)

St. Marys Co. Md.

## MOTHER

## 15. MAIDEN NAME

Unknown

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)17. INFORMANT  
(Address)John Miller  
Bridgman Road Ind.

## 18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Pisgah Ind. Date Oct 15, 1934.

19. UNDERTAKER  
(Address)Penn & Thomas  
La Platte, Ind.

## 20. FILED

Oct. 14, 1934

Mary Southland

Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

Oct 18

18

1934

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

## 22. I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from

Aug 1, 1934, to Oct 18, 1934

I last saw him alive on Oct 12, 1934; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 8:30 a. m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of Importance  
were as follows:Chr. Arteriosclerosis  
Cancer of Skin  
(In situ)

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Ischaemia.

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

## 23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did Injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of Injury

## 24. Was disease or Injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

No

If so, specify

(Signed)

R. O. Bicknell

M. D.

(Address)

Marquette Ind.



# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

# STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10157

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Charles  
Village or City Free Top

Registration Dist. No. 100

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred yrs. 4 mos. ds. No. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No. Welcome Md St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX Female 4. COLOR OR RACE Old 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) Single

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of \_\_\_\_\_

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) June 15 1934

7. AGE Years Months Days II LESS than 1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs. or \_\_\_\_\_ min.  
4 8

8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.

10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)

11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Washington DC  
(State or country)

13. NAME William Riley

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Charles Co. Md  
(State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME Ruth Turner

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Charles Co. Md  
(State or country)

17. INFORMANT William Riley  
(Address) Free Top. Md

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Place Free Top. Md Date Oct 24, 1934

19. UNDERTAKER William Riley  
(Address) Free Top. Md

20. FILED Oct 25, 1934 William Riley Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH Oct. 23, 1934  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

I last saw h. \_\_\_\_\_ alive on \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_; death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 2:30 p.m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

no physician in attendance  
Death due to prematurity  
Intestinal Dyspepsia

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_

What test confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_ Was there an autopsy? \_\_\_\_\_

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_ (Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? no

If so, specify \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed) Dr. C. Bicknell M.D.

(Address) Marbury Md.

MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING

V. S. No. 1

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# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as “employee,” “worker,” “operative,” etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as **spinner, weaver, etc.**

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as “store,” “factory,” “mill,” etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as **grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.**

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as **civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc.** Avoid the term “laborer” when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word “mechanic,” but give the exact occupation, as **carpenter, painter, machinist, etc.** Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a **salesman** and not a clerk.

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**Example I**

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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**Example II**

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10158

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County - CharlesVillage or City Port TobaccoRegistration Dist. No. 100

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred 13 yrs. — mos. — ds.How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? — yrs. — mos. — ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No. Port Tobacco Md

(Usual place of abode)

St.

Ward

Port Tobacco, Charles Co. Maryland.

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

## 3. SEX

Male

## 4. COLOR OR RACE

Negro.

## 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)

Married

## 5a. If married, widowed, or divorced

HUSBAND of  
WIFE ofJennie Ross.

## 6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

May 21, 1876.

## 7. AGE

Years

58

Months

4

Days

17

If LESS than

1 day, — hrs. or — min.

## OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.

Saw mill helper

9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc.

Saw mill, farm

10. Data deceased last worked at this occupation (month and year)

2 yrs.

11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation

40

## 12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Mc Conchie  
Charles Co. Maryland

## FATHER

## 13. NAME

Sam Ross.

## 14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Charles Co.

## MOTHER

## 15. MAIDEN NAME

Victoria Swann.

## 16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)

(State or country)

Charles Co.

## 17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Jennie Ross,  
Port Tobacco, Md.

## 18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

St. Thomas

Date

Oct 11, 1934

## 19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

Penny and Coper  
Mason Springs

## 20. FILED

Date

Oct 19, 1934

By

William V. Posy

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

October81934

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

## 22.

I HEREBY CERTIFY that I attended deceased from

to

19

I last saw him

alive

19

death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance were as follows:

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Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Organic Heart disease.

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

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Date of injury

19

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Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? No.

If so, specify

(Signed)

Richard Reich, Jr. Acting M. D.

(Address)

Corcoran

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<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

BUREAU V. E.

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN



10159

## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

*Charles*

(75)

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No.

105

Village or City

*Waldorf*

(No.

St;

Ward)

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

## 2 FULL NAME

*Anna B Shumakoffski*

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

*Female*

4 COLOR OR RACE

*White*5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)*Divorced*

6 DATE OF BIRTH

*Aug 23, 1895*

7 AGE

*43*

yrs.

mos.

ds.

If LESS than 1 day, hrs. OR min. ?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession, or particular kind of work

*Trained nurse*

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

*Washington DC*

10 NAME OF FATHER

*Perry Talbert*

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

*Washington DC*

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

*Fannie Cockrill*

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or country)

*Washington DC*

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

*F. H. Stonestreet*

(Address)

*Waldorf*

15

Filed

*Oct 7, 1934 M. R. Mowbr*

REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

*Oct 7, 1934*

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

*Oct 6, 1934, to Oct 7, 1934.*

that I last saw him alive on

*Oct 6, 1934.*

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at

*3 a.m.*

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

*Cardiac Distention  
acute Indigestion*

(Duration)

yrs.

mos.

ds.

Contributory  
Secondary*alcoholism*

(Duration)

yrs.

mos.

ds.

(Signed)

*E. O. Mowbr*

M. D.

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(Address)

*Waldorf Md*

\*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL OR HOMICIDAL.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS, INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS, OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

At place

In the

of death

yrs.

mos.

ds.

State,

yrs.

mos.

ds.

Where was disease contracted,

If not at place of death?

Former or

usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

*Rock Creek Wash Oct 9, 1934*

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

*J. J. Saffell Washington*

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

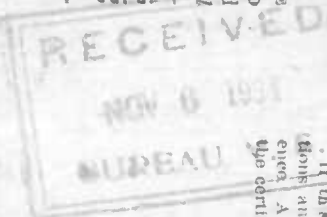
[Approved by U. S. Census and American Public Health Association.]

**Statement of Occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer* or *Planter*, *Physician*, *Compositor*, *Architect*, *Locomotive engineer*, *Civil engineer*, *Stationary fireman*, etc. But in many cases, especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement, it should be used only when needed. As examples: (a) *Spinner*, (b) *Cotton mill*, (a) *Salesman*, (b) *Grocery*, (a) *Foreman*, (b) *Automobile factory*. The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Dealer," etc., without more precise specification as *Day laborer*, *Farm laborer*, *Laborer—Coal mine*, etc. Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid *Housekeepers* who receive a definite salary), may be entered as *Housewife*, *Housework*, or *At Home*, and children, not gainfully employed, as *At school* or *At home*. Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as *Servant*, *Cook*, *Housemaid*, etc. If the occupation has been changed or given up on account of the disease causing death, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus: *Farmer (retired 6 yrs.)*. For persons who have no occupation whatever, write *None*.

**Statement of Cause of Death.**—Name, first, the disease causing death (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia*, *Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia," unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs*, *menin-*

*ges, peritonaeum*, etc., *Carcinoma*, *Sarcoma*, etc., of ..... (name origin). "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Meninges*; *Whooping cough*; *Chronic valvular heart disease*; *Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Meninges* (disease causing death), *29 ds.*; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), *10 ds.* Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Ashenia," "Anæmia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility," "Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Hæmorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "Puerperal septicæmia," "Puerperal peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For violent deaths state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as probably such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning*; *Struck by railway train—accident*; *Revolver wound of head—homicide*; *Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis*, *tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "Contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

If the certificate is looked over thoroughly and all questions answered in detail, it will prevent further correspondence. All the data is essential and must be obtained before the certificate is permanently filed.



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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10160

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

No.

Registration Dist. No.

St.

Ward

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

4. COLOR OR RACE

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than  
1 day, ----- hrs.  
or ----- min.

OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)

FATHER

13. NAME

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)

MOTHER

15. MAIDEN NAME

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)17. INFORMANT  
(Address)18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL  
Place

Date

19. UNDOERTAKER  
(Address)

20. FILED

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

Oct 26, 1934  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

Oct 24, 1934, to Oct 26, 1934

I last saw him alive on Oct 26, 1934; death is said  
to have occurred on the date stated above, at 10:30 a.m.The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:Acute hemorrhage  
which developed into  
Bronchopneumonia

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy?

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of injury

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

M. D.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

**Statement of occupation.**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

*Arteriosclerosis*

Date of onset

*1915*

*Chronic interstitial nephritis*

*1921*

*Cerebral hemorrhage*

*July 5, 1927*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gallstones*

*May 1, 1923*

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Date of onset

*Attack of epilepsy*

*1 week ago*

*Run over by street car*

*1 week ago*

*Peritonitis*

*3 days ago*

Other contributory causes of importance:

*Gastroenteritis*

*1 year*

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

N. B.—WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK—THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD. Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY. PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms, so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10161

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

 County Charles  
 Village or City Rison
Registration Dist. No. 101

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

## 3. SEX

Female

## 4. COLOR OR RACE

Old

## 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word)

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

## 6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

Oct 22 1984

## 7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than  
1 day, 10 hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

## OCCUPATION

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Charles Co. Md

## FATHER

## 13. NAME

Norman Timmon14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Charles Co. Md

## MOTHER

## 15. MAIDEN NAME

Mabel Trauer16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town)  
(State or country)Charles Co. Md17. INFORMANT  
(Address)Ed. King  
Rison Md

## 18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

Rison

Date

Oct 23, 198419. UNDERTAKER  
(Address)Ed. King  
Rison Md

## 20. FILED

Date

Oct 23, 1984 Mary Southland  
Local Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

Oct. 22

(Month)

1984

(Day)

4

(Year)

## 22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

\_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_, to \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

I last saw him \_\_\_\_\_ alive on \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_ m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:

Exposure: (A) Cold - born during  
night, with no midwife or other attendant;  
Rest of day - lived part of day; (B) Fever -  
they practically covered the baby, depositing  
eggs, etc. - exposure.

## Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Mother delivered baby and left it. Mother  
about 14 years old, never went to bed. She  
made a perfect recovery.

Date of onset

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_

What last confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_ Was there an autopsy? \_\_\_\_\_

## 23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

## 24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify Thomas & Shigler, J.P.

(Signed)

Geo. C. Richmond

M. D.

(Address)

Marbury Md.



# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

**Statement of cause of death.**—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthenia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Arteriosclerosis</i>	<i>1915</i>
<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>
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Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

	Date of onset
<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>
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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

10162

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County Charles. Registration Dist. No. 101  
 Village or City Welcome No. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
 (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)  
 Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U. S. If of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

William Wedding.  
 (a) Residence: No. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
 (Usual place of abode) If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX Male 4. COLOR OR RACE White 5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (write the word) married

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced HUSBAND of (or) WIFE of Flora Wedding.

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year) Aug 20 1867

7. AGE Years 67 Months 2 Days 9 If LESS than 1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs. or \_\_\_\_\_ min.

8. Trade, profession, or particular kind of work done, as SPINNER, SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc. Farmer.

9. Industry or business in which work was done, as SILK MILL, SAW MILL, BANK, etc. \_\_\_\_\_

10. Date deceased last worked at this occupation (month end year) \_\_\_\_\_ 11. Total time (years) spent in this occupation \_\_\_\_\_

12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Charles Co. Md. (State or country)

13. NAME James Wedding.

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Charles Co. Md. (State or country)

15. MAIDEN NAME Franklin

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town) Charles Co. Md. (State or country)

17. INFORMANT Carroll Wedding (Address) Welcome Md.

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL Place Burgess, Md. Date Oct 31, 1934

19. UNDERTAKER Shunt & Ryan (Address) Waldorf Md.

20. FILED Oct. 30, 1934 Mary Smithland Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

21. DATE OF DEATH Oct 29, 1934  
 (Month) (Day) (Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from Oct 27, 1934, to Oct 29, 1934

I last saw him alive on Oct 28, 1934; death is said to have occurred on the date stated above, at 12:30 m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of Importance were as follows:

Cardiac Paralysis. Date of onset \_\_\_\_\_

acute cardiac collapse

Chronic alcoholism super.

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

He was a very heavy drinker. The above

was terminal to a long continued years

drinking habit.

Name of operation \_\_\_\_\_ Date of \_\_\_\_\_

What test confirmed diagnosis? \_\_\_\_\_ Was there an autopsy? \_\_\_\_\_

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19 \_\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_ (Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether Injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury \_\_\_\_\_

Nature of injury \_\_\_\_\_

24. Was disease or Injury in any way related to occupation of deceased? no

If so, specify \_\_\_\_\_ (Signed) Cor. C. Dickinson M. D.

(Address) Marling, Md.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

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Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

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<i>Chronic interstitial nephritis</i>	<i>1921</i>
<i>Cerebral hemorrhage</i>	<i>July 5, 1927</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gallstones</i>	<i>May 1, 1923</i>

Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

<i>Attack of epilepsy</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Run over by street car</i>	<i>1 week ago</i>
<i>Peritonitis</i>	<i>3 days ago</i>

Other contributory causes of importance:

<i>Gastroenteritis</i>	<i>1 year</i>

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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N. B.--Every item of information should be carefully supplied. ACE should be stated EXACTLY, PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

PLACE OF DEATH

County Charles-STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 103Village or City Newport- (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Still Born Gates

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE Col- 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Single  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH 10-29-1934  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE \_\_\_\_\_ If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_\_ hrs. \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. or \_\_\_\_\_ min.?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work \_\_\_\_\_  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Md-

10 NAME OF FATHER Alphonsus Gates

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Newport. Md.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Ella Bosser

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Md-

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Alphonsus Gates  
(Address) Newport. Md.

15 Filed Oct. 29 1934 J. P. Tippet Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH 10-29-1934  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Oct. 28 1934 to Oct. 29 1934.

that I last saw him alive on \_\_\_\_\_, 192\_\_\_\_.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, nt \_\_\_\_\_.

The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:

Still Born

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.  
(Signed) J. P. Tippet Mary Bond M. D.  
192\_\_\_\_ (Address) Washington, Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Family Garden Oct. 29 1934

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

Alphonsus Gates Newport. Md.

If more blanks are needed, address State Registrar, 16 W. Saratoga St., Baltimore, requesting V. S. No. 1.

Dist. J. P. Tippet

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# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public  
Health Association.)

**Statement of Occupation**—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. The question applies to each and every person, irrespective of age. For many occupations a single word or term on the first line will be sufficient, e. g., *Farmer or Planter, Physician, Composer, Architect, Locomotive engineer, Civil engineer, Stationary fireman, etc.* But in many cases, especially in industrial employments, it is necessary to know (a) the kind of work and also (b) the nature of the business or industry, and therefore an additional line is provided for the latter statement; it should be used only when needed. As examples: (a) *Spinner*, (b) *Cotton mill*; (a) *Salesman*, (b) *Grocery*; (a) *Foreman*, (b) *Automobile factory*. The material worked on may form part of the second statement. Never return "Laborer," "Foreman," "Manager," "Dealer," etc., without more precise specification as *Day laborer, Farm laborer, Laborer—Coal mine, etc.* Women at home, who are engaged in the duties of the household only (not paid *Housekeepers* who receive a definite salary), may be entered as *Housewife, Housework, or At Home*, and children, not gainfully employed, as *At school, or At home*. Care should be taken to report specifically the occupations of persons engaged in domestic service for wages, as *Servant, Cook, Housemaid, etc.* If the occupation has been changed or given up on account of the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, state occupation at beginning of illness. If retired from business, that fact may be indicated thus; *Farmer (retired 6 yrs)*. For persons who have no occupation whatever, write *None*.

**Statement of Cause of Death**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia, Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritonaeum, etc., Carcinoma, Sarcoma, etc.*, of . . . . . (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles; Whooping cough; Chronic valvular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis, etc.* The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), 29 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as *Aschemia, "Anaemia"* (merely symptomatic), *"Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility"* ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), *"Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc.*, when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as *"PUERPERAL septicaemia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc.* State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. FOR VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as probably such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; Struck by railway train—accident; Revolver wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *seizures, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

If this certificate is looked over thoroughly and all questions answered in detail, it will prevent further correspondence. A few data is essential and must be obtained before the certificate be permanently filed.

